Masaudi sub-division of Patna district in Bihar, who saved Rupees one crore from dacoits on October 31, 1990,is yet to be rewarded for his courageous act. Although the youngman got seriously injured in the process, he gave little value to his life in the discharge of his duty. Senior officials of the Bank and the local administration were all praise for this courageous act and termed it as patriotic. Such young people should always be encouraged.

The criminals and dacoits attacked the jeep with bombs. The driver got injured and the vehicle cought fire, yet he drove the jeep to safety and saved Government money. It's a pity that the driver had to pay from his pocket for his treatment. The Government should have given him promotion and provided him with adequate compensation and reward.

I request the hon. Minister of Finance to provide appropriate compensation and suitable employment to the young man, so that it may inspire others as well.

[*English*]

SHRI S.B. SI DNAL (Belgaum): Mr. Chairman, Sir, I would like to draw the attention of the Government to the news report of *Times of India* dated 08th April, 1992, in which it has been stated that there has been communal clashes in Belgaum City.

I would also like to draw the attention of the Government on the *Hindustan Times* news report dated 8th April, 1992, captioned "TOP ULTRAS LINKS IN KARNATAKA."Accoring to this report, some of the top militants self-styled Lt. General of the Bhindranwala Tigers Force of Khalistan visited Bangalore recently for collecting funds. It is also stated in the report that these dreadful Punjab militants have visited Bidar and pledged to help the students of the Guru Nanak Engineering College to avenge the killings of some sikh students in clashes with locals in 1988.

It is a fact that extremists have extended their activities in Karnataka on a large scale and communal clashes are also on the increase.

It will be appropriate to recall this House that LTTE activities were in the headlines of newspapers in recent months.

Karnataka is considered as a very peaceful State and its peace loving citizens should not fall under the clutches of these forces. It has never happened in the history of Belgaum now because of such elements entry the situation is becoming from bad to worse.

I appeal to the Government and our hon. Home Minister to take immediate action against such elements with the help of the State Government in the interest of integrity of the country.

[*Translation*]

SHRI GEORGE FERNANDES (Muzaffarpur): Sir, I am one again raising the issue of North- East here. Just in the morning, we received news to the effect that at 3.P.M. today, the Congress Party is forming Government in the State with the support of M.L.As from other parties. Whom it has weaved away in its own inimitable way. Sir, the State Assembly was kept in suspended animiation a jew weeks back and subsequently the former Chief Minister and many political parties demanded dissolution of the Assembly and holding of fresh elections. The Congress Party had raised several objections when in Nagaland, the Government with a majority support demanded the dissolution of the State Assembly and holding of fresh elections. Similarly, in Manipur's case all the political parties in the State including the youth congress demand the holding of fresh elections, but the Congress Party is once again at its old game as is evident from its action in Manipur.

Further, this action on the part of the Congress should remove all doubts and expectations in the minds of the people that the Congress has changed, that there is a change in its attitude. This is the very same party which had been responsible for creating similar situations in the country over the